

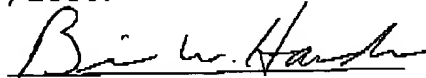
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**AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated July 28, 2004 and having a shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on October 28, 2004. Applicant submits the following responsive amendment in the above-identified application. Also submitted with this amendment is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) with a Request for three-month Extension with the required fees, to extend the period of reply to January 28, 2005. Applicant believes this amendment places the application in better condition for allowance. Applicant's remarks are attached hereto and start on page 2.